

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA  
FORT WAYNE DIVISION

PATRICK HODGIN, individually )  
and on behalf of all others )  
similarly situated, )  
                                  )  
Plaintiff, )  
                                  )      Cause No. 1:16-cv-43  
vs. )  
                                  )  
DAVID GLADIEUX, in his official )  
capacity as Allen County Sheriff, )  
                                  )  
Defendant. )

**ORDER**

Patrick Hodgin, through counsel, seeks leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* (DE 2). However, his *in forma pauperis* petition is not on the appropriate form. In addition, he is incarcerated but has failed to submit a certified copy of his inmate trust fund ledgers for the past six months, as required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2). As a result, I cannot determine what amount, if any, must be assessed as an initial partial filing fee. 28 U.S.C. § 1915 (b)(1).

Accordingly, the motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* (DE 2) is **DENIED** **WITHOUT PREJUDICE**, and the clerk is **DIRECTED** to place this cause number on a blank prisoner *in forma pauperis* petition and send it to the plaintiff. Plaintiff is **ORDERED** to return (a) the properly completed petition and (b) a certified copy of his inmate trust fund ledgers for the past six months no later than March 8, 2016, and is

**CAUTIONED** that if he fails to do so, this case may be dismissed without further notice.

**SO ORDERED.**

**ENTERED:** February 2, 2016.

s/ Philip P. Simon  
CHIEF JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT